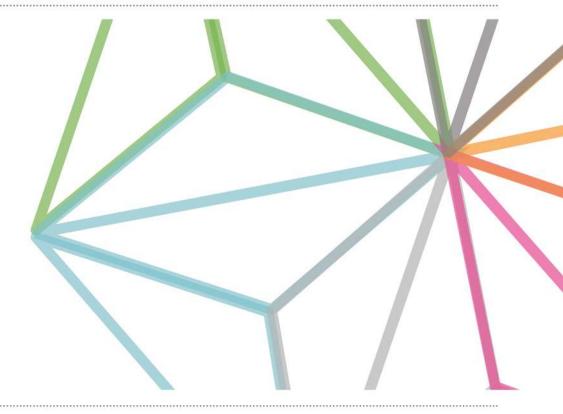
Rob Merriel

22 June 2010





has climbed the biomedical informatics "Stairway to Heaven"

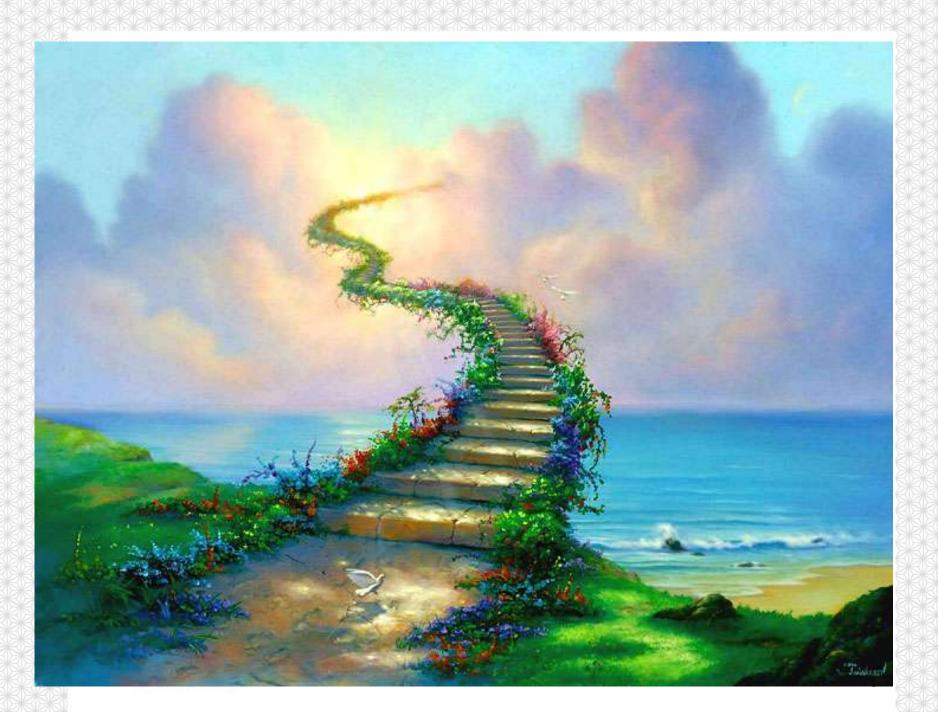












Biomedical Informatics Stairway to Heaven

- Interested but "not ready"
- 2. Identify Databases and Clinical Champions
- 3. Develop data items, forms and document specifics
- 4. Database development
- Frontend application selection / development
- 6. Data entry / cleaning
- 7. Extract Transform Load to Local Research Repository

- 8. Virtual Private Network & Federated Data Integrator
- 9. Unique Subject Identification generation
- 10. Testing data linkage processes
- 11. Users have full access
- 12. Users are trained
- Database annotation for business glossary
- 14. Develop standard reporting



Stairway to Heaven Climbed for:

✓ Colorectal

✓ Brain

✓ Breast

✓ Sarcoma

✓ Lung

✓ Head & Neck

□ Rare Cancers



Agenda

- Aggregation
- Information
- Portals
- Resources



Aggregation - Model

Problem

Hospital A







Pathology

Health through information

- ® inconsistent access control
- ⊗ inconsistent ethics approval
- 8 uncontrolled sensitive data
- 8 limited use of data
- ® difficult to merge data

Hospital B



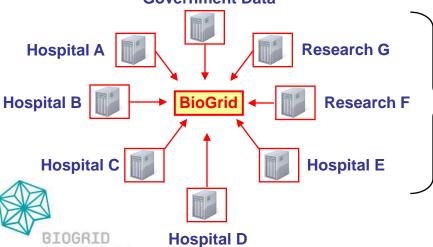




Pathology

Solution

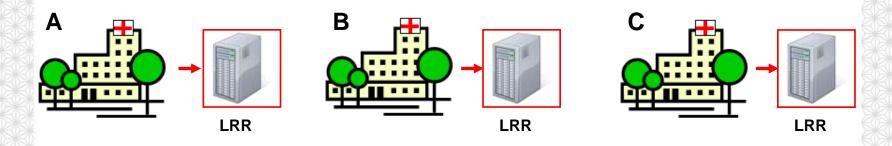
Government Data



- √ single access control
- √ single ethics approval
- √ de-identified data
- ✓ multiple sources of data
- ✓ uniformly formatted data

Aggregation & Privacy

 BioGrid imports local data into a local server ("Local Research Repository" LRR)

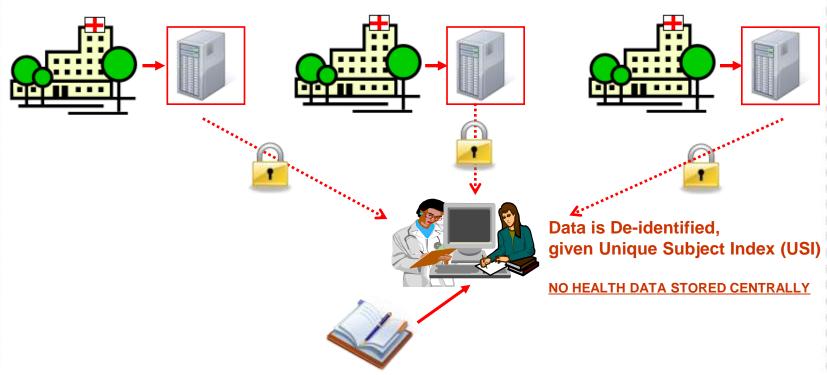


2. On each LRR server, data is processed to remove patient identity and given Unique Subject Index (USI)



Aggregation & Connecting Data

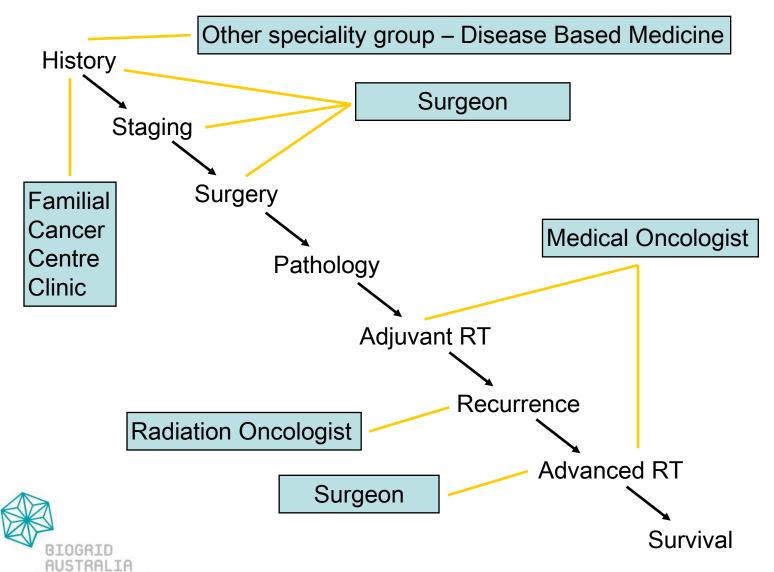
3. BioGrid establishes a secure connection from LRR to Central Server



4. BioGrid monitors and logs all access and use of linked data

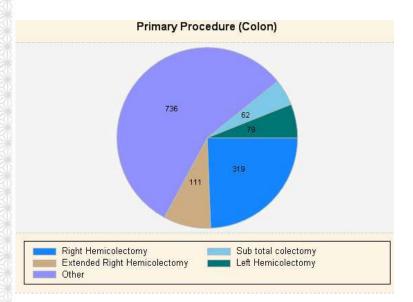


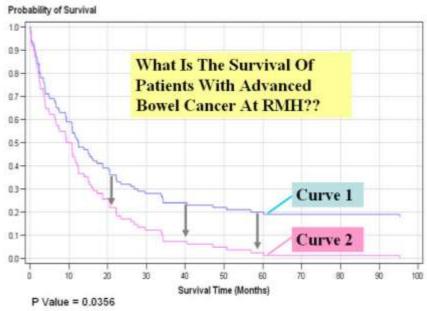
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Health through information

Colorectal Cancer

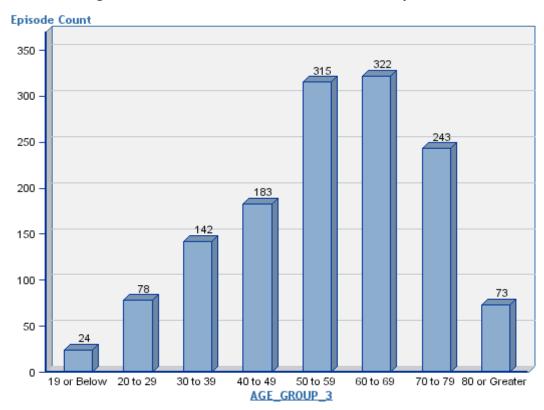






Brain Cancer

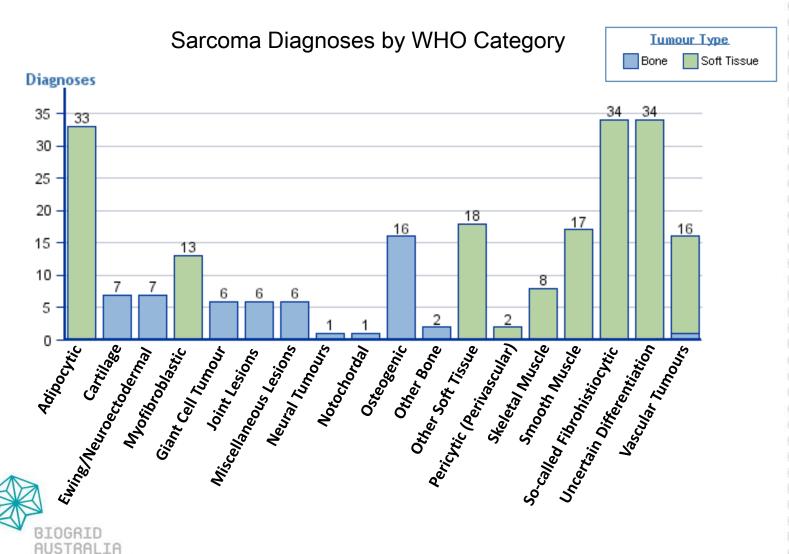
Age breakdown of brain tumour patients seen



Health through information

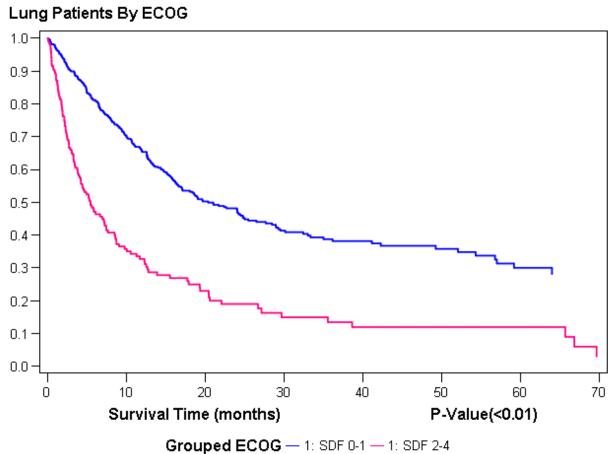
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Sarcoma



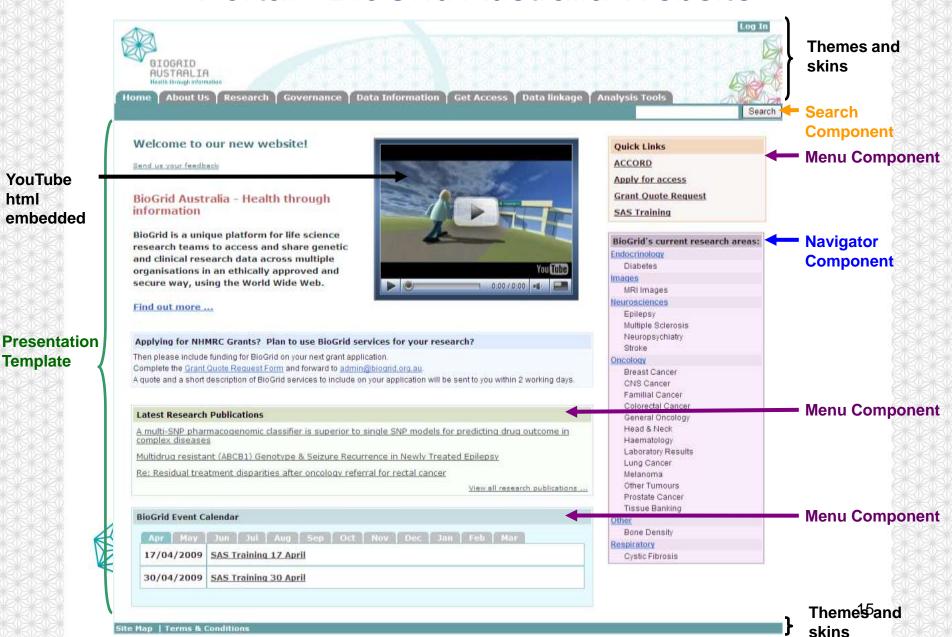
Health through information

Lung Cancer

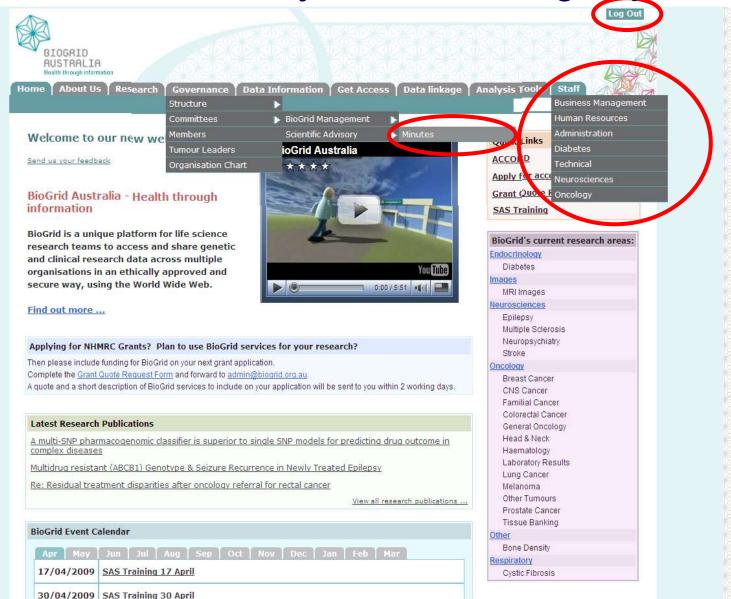




Portal - BioGrid Australia Website



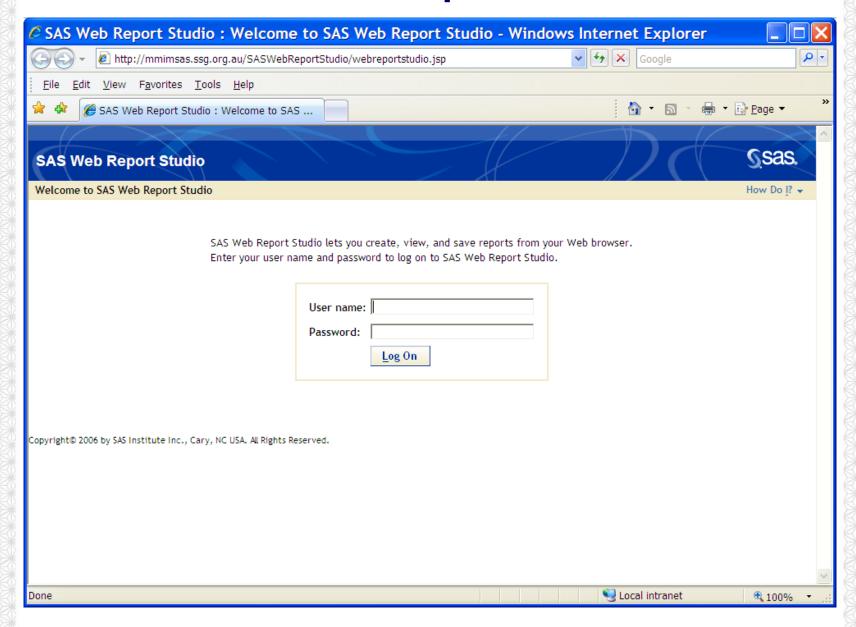
Accessibilities by different user groups



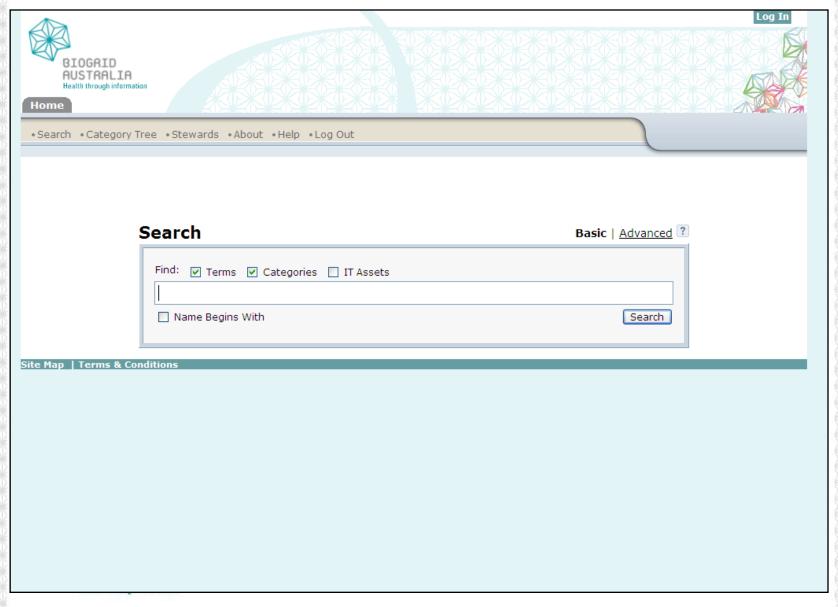
Portal – Access to Data

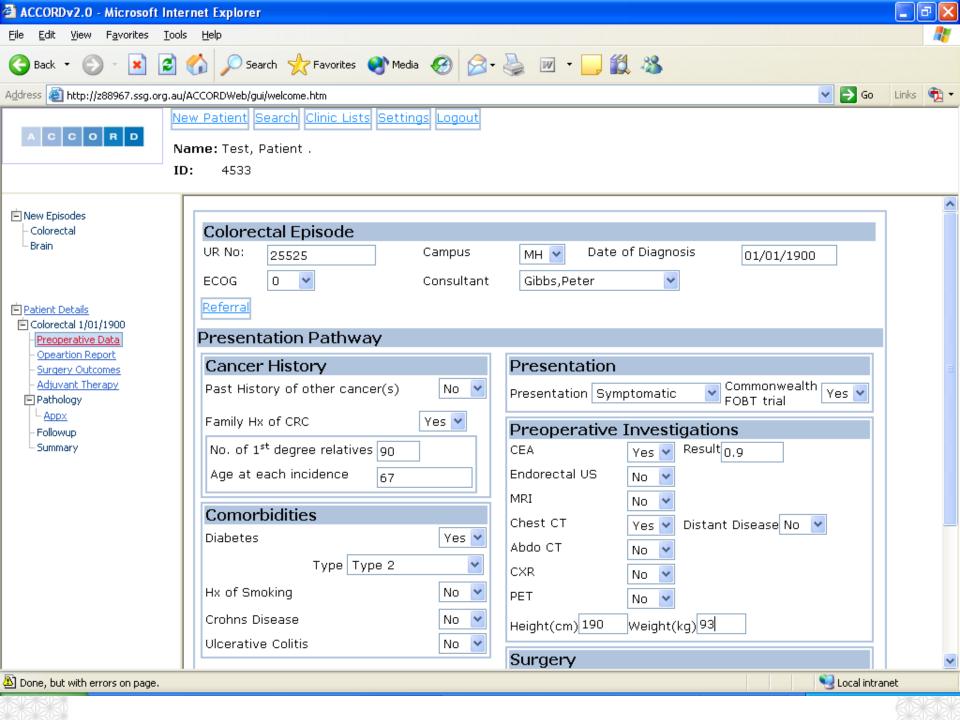
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CART-WHEEL

Center for Analysis of Rare Tumors

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Have you been diagnosed with a rare tumor or a rare type of a more common tumor?

Although your particular tumor type occurs rarely, when all the different kinds of 'rare tumors' are taken together they make up 20% of all cancers diagnosed. Despite this, as a group, they only receive about 5% of research funding and attention.

Login

Register

Part of the problem is that researchers cannot find enough cases of each tumor type to study to make the progress needed to find better treatments and provide more information about your disease.

Through CART-WHEEL we are inviting people from all over the world to submit information about their particular tumor so that researchers can develop new insights into these understudied rare tumors.

CART-WHEEL Principal Investigator:

Dr Clare L Scott, Physician Scientist and Medical Oncologist MBBS PhD FRACP Melbourne Health HREC

How does it work?

Get involved

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Dedication

Our Mission

CART-WHEEL is the Center for Analysis of Rare Tumors but also means ...

C offect information from as many people as possible

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R esearch new discoveries for rare tumors

T reat rare tumors more effectively

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WE NEED YOUR HELP to keep CART-WHEEL in motion.













4 Levels of Consent

- 1.Data to be used in a re-identifiable way
- 2. Contact for up-date of personal information
- 3. Contact for pathology or medical record
- 4. Contact for involvement in research study or clinical trial

In Summary

Current

- Biomedical informatics across all cancer tumour streams
- + three other disease groups diabetes, neuroscience, respiratory
- 21 members representing 37 institutions across 4 states and territories
- 180,000+ identity protected patients

Ongoing development

- Climbing the Stairway to Heaven
 - Thyroid
 - Pituitary
 - Melanoma
 - Upper GI

- Prostate
- Gynaecology
- Renal



